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SUBJECT: UNSSOD PREPCOM IV: JANUARY 25 MEETING

1. AT JANUARY 25 AFTERNOON SESSION, SSOD PREPCOM IV
BRIEFLY DISCUSSED OFGANIZATIONAL ISSUES AND HEARD
PRESENTATIONS BY SRI LANKA, JAPAN AND MEXICO INTRODUCING
AND EXPLAINING THEIR WORKING PAPERS. FRENCHPERMREP
READ TEXT OF COUNCIL OF MINISTERS JANUARY 25 STATEMENT
ON DISARMAMENT (STEPTEL FOR FURTHER DETAILS) AND ASKED THAT
IT BE CIRCULATED AS WORKING PAPER TO SSOD DELEGATIONS.
AUSTRIA AND MAURITIUS ALSO MADE STATEMENTS.

2. IN BRIEF OPENING STATEMENT, CHAIRMAN ORTIZ DE ROZAS ASKED
PREPCOM TO TAKE EARLY DECISION ON OPENING DATE AND DURATION
OF GENERAL DEBATE AT SPECIAL SESSION SO AS TO ALLOW SECRE-
TARIAT TO BEGIN MAKING NECESSARY ARRANGEMENTS. REFERRING
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TO PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR THE SPECIAL SESSION (REPORT OF
THE PREPARATORY COMMITTEE A/32/41, PARA 17), ORTIZ
EXPRESSED PERSONAL VIEW THAT OPENING CEROMONIAL AND
ORGANIZATIONAL FORMATIES IN AGENDA ITEMS 1-7 COULD BE
COMPLETED AT MAY 23 SESSION, ALLOWING GENERAL DEBATE WHICH
IS AGENDA ITEM 8 TO BEGIN ON MAY 24.

3. SRI LANKA (ACTING PERMREP FONSEKA) INTRODUCED "NON-ALIGNED WORKING DOCUMENT CONTAINING THE DRAFT DECLARATION, PROGRAM OF ACTION AND MACHINERY FOR IMPLEMENTATION" A/AC.187/55/ADD.1 TRANSMITTED TO ADDRESSEES IN USUN 216. HE NOTED THAT TEXT REPRESENTED AMALGAM, AND BY IMPLICATION COMPROMISE, AMONG VIEWS WITHIN THE NON-ALIGNED MOVEMENT, AND ALSO INVOLVED EFFORT TO TAKE INTO ACCOUNT VIEWS OF OTHER GROUPS. IN PHILOSOPHICAL REMARKS AS TO THE MOTIVATION OF THE NON-ALIGNED MOVEMENT FONSEKA ASKED DELEGATES TO REFLECT ON OBJECTIVES OF SSOD THIRTY THREE YEARS AFTER WORLD WAR II AND ALSO ON REASONS FOR LACK OF ADEQUATE PROGRESS IN DISARMAMENT NEGOTIATIONS DESPITE THE TRANSITION FROM COLD WAR SITUATION TO CURRENT PHASE OF COEXISTENCE. HE ALSO STRESSED NON-ALIGNED VIEW THAT UNGA HAS MAJOR RESPONSIBILITY FOR GIVING BOTH IMPETUS AND DIRECTION TO DISARMAMENT EFFORTS. FINALLY, HE REVIEWED STRUCTURE AND MAJOR PROPOSALS IN NON-ALIGNED TEXT.

4. JAPAN (CCD PERMREP OGISO) INTRODUCED JAPANESE WORKING PAPER ENTITLED "PROPOSAL CONCERNING THE CONVENTIONAL ARMS RACE INCLUDING, IN PARTICULAR, THE INTERNATIONAL TRANSFER OF CONVENTIONAL ARMS AND MUTUAL LIMITATION OF CONVENTIONAL ARMAMENT AND ARMED FORCES ON THE REGIONAL LEVEL" A/AC.187/86 (SEE STATE 299294 FOR THE TEXT). OGISO EMPHASIZED THE IMPORTANCE WHICH JAPAN ATTACHES TO SSOD ACTION OF CONVENTIONAL ARMS TRANSFERS, AND OUTLINED THE MAJOR PRINCIPLES AND LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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RECOMMENDATIONS CONTAINED IN THE WORKING PAPER.

5. MEXICO (CCD PERMREP GARCIA ROBLES) INTRODUCED WORKING PAPER ENTITLED "OUTLINE OF A DRAFT FINAL DOCUMENT OF THE SPECIAL SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY DEVOTED TO DISARMAMENT" A/AC.187/89 (COPIES POUCHED TO MACUK IO/UNP AND FLOWERREE ACDA/MA).. THIS DOCUMENT SETS FORTH MEXICAN APPROACH AND THEN PROVIDES A POSSIBLE FRAMEWORK FOR TEXT OF THE FOUR SECTIONS OF A SINGLE FINAL SSOD DOCUMENT, WITH THE LAS SECTION DEALING WITH MACHINERY NOW CALLED "GUIDELINES FOR DISARMAMENT NEGOTIATIONS". THE MEXICAN TEXT SUGGESTS A TWO PARAGRAPH DRAFT RESOLUTION BY WHICH THE SSOD WOULD INTRODUCE AND ADOPT THE FINAL DOCUMENT, AND ALSO PROPOSE LANGUAGE TO LINK THE PREAMBLE TO THE NEXT THREE SECTIONS OF THE FINAL DOCUMENT.

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IT REPEATS THE FIRST TWO PRINCIPLES FOR THE DECLARATION
FROM THEIR EARLIER PAPER (A/AC.187/56). IN DISCUSSING THE
PROGRAM OF ACTION, TEXT REPEATS PREVIOUSLY STATED MEXICAN
VIEW THAT THIS OUGHT TO BE FOCUSED ON 1978-1981, AND THAT
THE 33RD-35TH UNGA'S SHOULD REVIEW IMPLEMENTATION "THREE
YEAR DISARMAMENT PLAN". IT FURTHER SUGGESTS THAT A REFORMED CCD
SHOULD

UNDERTAKE THE PREPARATION OF A COMPREHENSIVE PROGRAM
OF DISARMAMENT FOR SUBMISSION TO THE SECRETARY GENERAL
BY MARCH 1, 1981, AND FINALLY RECOMMENDS CONVENING OF A SECOND
SPECIAL SESSION AT THE END OF MAY, 1981. THE FOURTH SECTION
"GUIDELINES FOR DISARMAMENT MACHINERY" CALLS FOR REGULAR
UNGA SPECIAL SESSIONS AND PROPOSES REFORMS FOR THE CCD INC-
CLUDING A) MONTHLY ROTATING CHAIRMANSHIP AMONG NON-NUCLEAR
WEAPON STATES MEMBERS, B) ESTABLISHMENT OF A STANDING
SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE; C) APPROPRIATE STEPS TO ALLOW
ALL UN MEMBERS WHO ARE NOT IN CCD TO COOPERATE WITH IT AND
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D) ADEQUATELY STAFFED PERMANENT
DELEGATIONS OF ALL CCD MEMBERS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.
6. MEXICANS ANNOUNCED THEY WILL CIRCULATE AN ADDENDUM TO
THIS WORKING PAPER ON JANUARY 26 WHICH WILL CONTAIN A NUMBER
OF SPECIFIC RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE PROGRAM OF ACTION.

7. NEXT PREPCOM MEETING WILL TAKE PLACE JANUARY 26 PM.
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